



**MUNICIPAL COUNCIL AGENDA
TEMPORARY CITY HALL
141 OAK STREET, TAUNTON, MA 02780**

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MARCH 21, 2017 – 7:00 PM

**INVOCATION
ROLL CALL
RECORDS**

HEARING: NONE

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR

APPOINTMENTS

- Reappointment of Paul White as the Building Inspector/Zoning Enforcement Officer for a term of three (3) years expiring March 3, 2020

COMMUNICATIONS FROM CITY OFFICERS

- Pg. 1 Com. from Retirement – Notifying of a revised retirement date
- Pg. 2 Com. from Retirement – Notifying of a retirement
- Pg. 3 Com. from Budget Director – Requesting a transfer of funds
- Pg. 4 Com. from Director of Emergency Management – Requesting to pay a prior year invoice
- Pg. 5-7 Com. from Director of Emergency Management – Requesting to designate vehicles as surplus
- Pg. 8-9 Com. from City Planner – Submitting recommendation on recreational Marijuana
- Pg. 10 Com. from Executive Director of Retirement – Clarification on change in retirement policy
- Pg. 11 Com. from Board of Health – Taunton Landfill

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- Pg. 12 Com. from First Assistant City Solicitor – Municipal Charges Lien
- Pg. 13 Com. from Chairman, Taunton Planning Board – Notifying of a meeting
- Pg. 14 Com. from Treasurer/Collector – Land Court Decree
- Pg. 15 Com. from Assistant City Solicitor – Request for Executive Session
- Pg. 16 Com. from Mayor Hoyer – Request for Approval of Gift to Rehabilitate Memorial Park with associated agreement

COMMUNICATIONS FROM CITIZENS

- Pg. 17-20 Com. from Cecely Reardon, General Counsel, Department of Youth Services, 600 Washington St., 4th Floor, Boston – Responding to Council Motion
- Pg. 21-23 Com. from John Dolan, Commander, David F. Adams Post No. 611, Taunton – Requesting a relief on fees
- Pg. 24-25 Com. from Ernest Cardoza, Parade Chairman, Greater Taunton Area Allied Veterans Council – Requesting use of the city-owned box trailer
- Pg. 26-27 Com. from Downtown Taunton Foundation – Requesting use of the stage
- Pg. 28-30 Com. from Bristol County Mosquito Control Project – Notifying of change to Exclusion Regulation 333 CMR 13.03

PETITIONS

Street Acceptance

Petition submitted by David Biancavilla, BSC Group, 803 Summer St., Boston and others for the acceptance of Dever Drive as a public way in the City of Taunton. **(Public Hearing Required)**

Claims

Claim submitted by Heath Tracey, 1 Riverview St., 1st Floor, Taunton seeking reimbursement for damages to his automobile from hitting a pothole on Middleboro Avenue near the fire station.

Claim submitted by Erik and Sadie Goulart, 95 Terrianne Drive, Taunton seeking reimbursement for damages to their mailbox from a snow plow hitting it.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

ORDERS, ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS

NEW BUSINESS

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Rm Blackwell". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Rose Marie Blackwell

City Clerk

*City of Taunton
Office of the Mayor*

*Thomas C. Hoye, Jr.
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March 10th, 2017

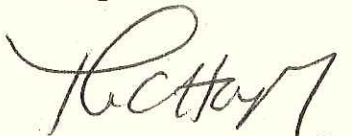
Council President Daniel P. Dermody
Members of the Taunton Municipal Council
141 Oak Street
Taunton, MA 02780

Dear Council President Dermody:

Please be advised that I am re-appointing Paul White, of 6 Beech Street, Assonet MA as the Building Inspector / Zoning Enforcement Officer for a term of (3) years. His term will expire March 3rd, 2020.

If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me.

Respectfully,


Thomas C. Hoye, Jr.
Mayor



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March 9, 2017

****Revision****

Hon. Thomas C. Hoyer, Jr., Mayor
Taunton Municipal Council
141 Oak St., Temporary City Hall
Taunton, MA 02780

Dear Mayor Hoyer:

Please be advised of the revised retirement for Superannuation of Edward M. Lombardi Jr., an employee of the Taunton Fire Department on July 1, 2017 under the provisions set forth in Section #5 of Chapter 32 of the General Laws of Massachusetts.

Please pay regular compensation and accumulated benefits up to the day before retirement.*

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact our office.

*Please note a change in policy.

Respectfully yours,

Karen Medeiros
Administrative Assistant

cc: E. Lombardi, Jr.
T. Bradshaw, Fire Chief
Treasurer
Auditor
HR
City Clerk
file

retirement letter



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March 8, 2017

Hon. Thomas C. Hoyer, Jr., Mayor
Taunton Municipal Council
141 Oak St., Temporary City Hall
Taunton, MA 02780

Dear Mayor Hoyer:

Please be advised of the retirement for Superannuation of Shawn Mulhern, an employee of the Taunton Police Department on May 8, 2017 under the provisions set forth in Section #5 of Chapter 32 of the General Laws of Massachusetts.

Please pay regular compensation and accumulated benefits up to the day before retirement.*

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact our office.

*Please note a change in policy.

Respectfully yours,

Karen Medeiros
Administrative Assistant

cc: S. Mulhern
E. Walsh, Police Chief
Treasurer
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March 6, 2017

The Honorable Thomas C. Hoye, Jr
And Municipal Council Members
141 Oak Street
Taunton, Ma 02780

Mayor Hoye and Council Members,

In order to adhere to IRS regulations, I am requesting to transfer \$4,900.00 from Municipal Access other expenses (01-696-5200-5319) to Municipal Access salaries (01-696-5100-5109) so that it is reported correctly for CY2017 for tax purposes. I apologize for the inconvenience and thank you for your help with this matter.

Respectfully,

Gill E Enos
Budget Director

Cc: A.Hebert, B.Auger, I.Fortes



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CITY OF TAUNTON
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Richard E. Ferreira
Director

88 INGELL STREET
TAUNTON, MA 02780
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March 7, 2017


Mayor Thomas C. Hoye, Jr., Council President Daniel P. Dermody,
and members of the Municipal Council
City Hall
141 Oak Street
Taunton, MA 02780

Dear Mayor Hoye and Municipal Council:

I respectfully request your approval to pay a prior-year invoice in the amount of \$4.67 for services provided by the Taunton Water Department. While funds to pay this invoice were included in the prior year's encumbrances, an increase in the water department's rate structure created a deficiency. There are sufficient funds in the current budget line item (01-291-5500-5230) to complete payment of this invoice.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,



Richard E. Ferreira
Director

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Mayor Thomas C. Hoye, Jr., Council President Daniel P. Dermody,
and members of the Municipal Council
City Hall
141 Oak Street
Taunton, MA 02780

Dear Mayor Hoye and Municipal Council:


I respectfully request your designation of the following Taunton Emergency Management Agency vehicles as surplus property so that they properly may be auctioned off by the Taunton Emergency Management Agency or disposed of by the Department of Public Works. These vehicles no longer are useable, nor are they able to be repaired:

Vehicle:	Color	Registration
2000 Ford 250	White	M23361 (Plate returned to registry)
1996 Ford Cutvan/Ambulance	Red/White	M72370 (Plate returned to registry)

(Photos of listed vehicles attached)

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,


Richard E. Ferreira
Director

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City of Taunton, Massachusetts
**DEPARTMENT OF
PLANNING AND CONSERVATION**

*15 Summer Street
Taunton, Massachusetts 02780*

*Kevin R Scanlon, Director/ Planner AICP
Michele Restino, Conservation Agent*

*Phone 508-821-1051, 508-821-1043
Phone 508-821-1095 Fax 508-821-1665
<http://www.taunton-ma.gov>*

March 9, 2017

Honorable Thomas C Hoye, Jr, Mayor
Municipal Council
141 Oak Street
Taunton, Ma 02780

RE: Recreational Marijuana

Dear Mayor Hoye and Members of the Municipal Council,

This letter is in regards to a motion made by the Municipal Council to provide a recommendation on how to proceed with Recreational Marijuana. At this time, there is a lot of uncertainty since the State has not promulgated any regulations. As a result, my recommendation would be to put a temporary moratorium in effect that would expire on July 31, 2018. This would allow time for the city to decide how it wishes to regulate this use category and to do so in conformance with the state regulations that will come in the coming months.

If the council desires to pursue this recommendation, a motion needs to be made by the Municipal Council to refer the attached proposed zoning language to the hearing process for adoption. The hearing process would result in a Public Hearing in front of the Municipal Council at a future date.

If you have any questions, please contact me at 508-821-1051.

Sincerely,

Kevin R Scanlon,
Director AICP

Proposed changes to the City of Taunton Zoning Ordinance

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Dated March 6, 2017

Proposal to add all of the following verbage:

Section 440-502 A. (5) Temporary Moratoria on the sale and distribution of recreational marijuana

By vote at the State election on November 8, 2016, the voters of the Commonwealth approved a law regulating the cultivation, distribution, possession and use of marijuana for recreational purposes. The law provides that it is effective on December 15, 2016 and the Cannabis Advisory Board is required to issue regulations regarding implementation by September 15, 2017. The regulations to be promulgated by the State Cannabis Advisory Board are expected to provide guidance to the City in regulating Recreational Marijuana Establishments and Marijuana Retailers. Further, the ballot measure establishes two important provisions that require ballot action by the City prior to the adoption of zoning. First, the City must determine whether it will issue licenses for Recreational Marijuana Establishments and Marijuana Retailers and second whether to allow on-site consumption of marijuana products should the City decide to allow licenses for such facilities.

The regulation of Recreational Marijuana Establishments and Marijuana Retailers raise novel and complex legal, planning, and public safety issues and the City needs time to study and consider the regulation of Recreational Marijuana Establishments and Marijuana Retailers and address such novel and complex issues, as well as to address the potential impact of the State regulations on local zoning and to undertake a planning process to consider amending the Zoning Ordinance regarding regulation of Recreational Marijuana Establishments and Marijuana Retailers and other uses related to the regulation of recreational marijuana. The City is adopting a temporary moratorium on the use of land and structures in the City for Recreational Marijuana Establishments and Marijuana Retailers so as to allow the City sufficient time to engage in a planning process to address the effects of such structures and uses in the City and to adopt provisions of the Zoning Ordinance in a manner consistent with sound land use planning goals and objectives.

A Recreational Marijuana Establishment shall include marijuana cultivation, marijuana processing, marijuana packaging, marijuana testing, marijuana product manufacturing, marijuana retailer, marijuana distributor or any other type of marijuana related business but shall not include state licensed medical marijuana establishments which are already regulated at the local level.

For the reasons set forth above and notwithstanding any other provision of the Zoning Ordinance to the contrary, the City hereby adopts a temporary moratorium on the use of land and structures for Recreational Marijuana Establishments and Marijuana Retailers. The moratorium shall be in effect through July 31, 2018. During the moratorium period, the City shall undertake a planning process to address the potential impacts of recreational marijuana in the City, consider the Cannabis Advisory Board regulations regarding Recreational Marijuana Establishments and Marijuana Retailers and related uses, determine whether the City shall restrict any, or all, licenses for Recreational Marijuana Establishments and Marijuana Retailers, determine whether the City will prohibit the on-site consumption at Recreational Marijuana Establishments and Marijuana Retailers and shall consider adopting new provisions of the Zoning Ordinance to address the impact and operation of Recreational Marijuana Establishments and Marijuana Retailers and related uses.



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March 6, 2017

Taunton Municipal Council
Dan Dermody, Council President
141 Oak St.
Taunton, MA 02780

Dear President Dermody & Councilors:

We have received a request to clarify the change in policy for paying employees up to the date of retirement.

Past policy: active employee paid up to and including the date of retirement and the pension payments started the day after retirement date

New policy: active employee now only to be paid up to the day *before* the date of retirement and the pension payments start exactly on their retirement date prospectively

Sorry for any confusion and we hope this answers any questions you may have had

Respectfully yours,

Paul Slivinski, CPP
Executive Director



City of Taunton
Board of Health
45 School Street
Massachusetts 02780-3212

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March 9, 2017

Honorable Thomas Hoyer, Mayor
Members of the Municipal Council
Taunton Temporary City Hall
141 Oak Street
Taunton, MA 02780

RE: Taunton Landfill

Dear Honorable Mayor Hoyer and Members of the Municipal Council:

At its regular meeting held on March 7, 2017, the Board of Health voted to remind you that the closure of the City's landfill is soon approaching (roughly in January 2020), and to call this to your attention so the City can work on making provisions for the future disposal of the City's solid waste. Thank you very much for your attention in this matter.

Sincerely,

The Members of the Board of Health



City of Taunton
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Thomas C. Hoye, Jr.
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FIRST ASST. CITY SOLICITOR

Mark S. Gould, Jr.
ASST. CITY SOLICITOR

March 6, 2017

Daniel P. Dermody, President
Municipal Council
141 Oak Street
Taunton, MA 02780

RE: Municipal Charges Lien

Dear President Dermody and Councilors:

Please be advised that Massachusetts General Laws chapter 40 section 58 permits a city to impose a lien on real property for any local charge or fee that has not been paid by the due date, provided that a separate vote is taken by the city council for each type of charge or fee. In order to assist the Conservation Commission in the enforcement of ordinances and regulations within its preview, will you please approve by motion the following:

The Municipal Council hereby approves the imposition of a municipal charges lien pursuant to General Laws chapter 40 section 58 for any unpaid fines that have been lawfully assessed by the Conservation Commission or its agents.

Please contact me with any questions or concerns. Thank you.

Respectfully,

Daniel F. de Abreu
First Assistant City Solicitor

cc: Steven Turner, Chair, Conservation Commission
Michelle Restino, Conservation Agent



TAUNTON PLANNING BOARD

City Hall

15 Summer Street – Annex Building

Taunton, Massachusetts 02780

Denise J. Paiva, Secretary

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March 7, 2017

Honorable Thomas Hoye, Mayor
Members of the Municipal Council
141 Oak St., Maxham School
Taunton, Ma. 02780

C/O Rose Marie Blackwell, City Clerk

RE: Site Plan Review – 295 Constitution Drive

Dear Mayor Hoye and Members of the Municipal Council:

The Taunton Planning Board has received a Site Plan Review for property at **295 Constitution Drive** for the construction of a 56,375 square foot office/warehouse building with off street parking, submitted by **Robert Turner, TB Partners, LLC**.

The DIRB will be meet to review this petition on Tuesday, March 21, 2017 at 9:00 AM in the Taunton Planning Board Office, 15 Summer St., Annex Bldg., and the Taunton Planning Board will meet to review petition on Thursday, April 6, 2017 at 5:30 PM in the Chester R Martin Municipal Council Chambers, 141 Oak St., Taunton, Ma.

Respectfully yours,

Robert P. Campbell (cage)

Robert P. Campbell, Chairman
Taunton Planning Board

RPC/ djp



CITY OF TAUNTON
MASSACHUSETTS

TREASURY DEPARTMENT

BARBARA A AUGER, CMMT
TREASURER/COLLECTOR

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March 8, 2017

Thomas C Hoye, Jr. Mayor and
Members of the Municipal Council
141 Oak St. Temp. City Hall
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RE: Land Court Decree - Yvon Nadeau Development Company Inc. #116-33

Dear Mayor Hoye and Councilors;

I have received notice indicating the Land Court entered a foreclosure decree on February 27, 2017 for a tax title parcel assessed to **Yvon Nadeau Development Company Inc.** for property located at Blake Street and known as parcel 116-33. The City of Taunton is now the owner of the property and should make every effort to secure the property and if necessary, obtain insurance. All responsibility and liability for this property now rests with the City of Taunton.

Once we receive the recorded judgment decree I will transfer the parcels to the Tax Possession Custodian.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding this property, please contact this Office.

Sincerely,

Barbara A Auger, CMMT
Treasurer/Collector

cc: Assessor
Auditor
Tax Possession Custodian



City of Taunton LAW DEPARTMENT

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March 13, 2017

Honorable Mayor Thomas C. Hoye, Jr.
Members of the Taunton Municipal Council
141 Oak Street
Taunton MA 02780

RE: Request for Executive Session

Dear Mayor Hoye and Members of the Municipal Council:

Pursuant to G.L. c.30A, §21(a)(3), I respectfully request the opportunity to meet with you in executive session at the March 21, 2017 Municipal Council meeting. The purpose of the meeting is to discuss, with outside counsel, an update and strategy with respect to pending litigation in a case regarding the Americans with Disabilities Act. It is my opinion that an open meeting at this time may have a detrimental effect on the litigating position of the City, and interfere with attorney-client privileged discussion.

Very truly yours,

Daniel F. de Abreu
Assistant City Solicitor

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City of Taunton

Office of the Mayor

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March 15, 2017

The Honorable Daniel P. Dermody, President
Members of the Taunton Municipal Council
141 Oak Street
Taunton MA 02780

RE: Request for Approval of Gift to Rehabilitate Memorial Park, with associated agreement

Dear President Dermody and Councilors:

As you know, Memorial Park on Somerset Avenue is in dire need of capital repairs and upgrades. I'm sure you will agree with me that we should make every effort to preserve Memorial Park's natural beauty so that it can be enjoyed by our citizens, both now and for generations to come.

Enclosed for your consideration is an agreement between the City and WSG that was successfully negotiated with the assistance of the Law Department. In exchange for allowing WSG to make the full \$400,000 I&I payment¹ associated with its expansion over a period of five years, WSG has agreed to make a donation to the City in the amount of \$80,000 to be used towards the costs of improvements to Memorial Park.

As you know, state law requires a vote of the Municipal Council to accept receipt of this gift and expenditure. I would respectfully request your prompt approval of the gift and associated agreement in order that we may proceed towards the Memorial Park improvements in the near future.

Very truly yours,

Thomas C. Hoye, Jr.
Mayor

¹ Please note that WSG also pays the City an annual \$200,000 host community payment under a written agreement from 2011. This is in addition to its regular sewer use payments, which, according to the DPW, totaled \$471,000 in the last fiscal year.



The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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Executive Office of Health and Human Services
Department of Youth Services
600 Washington St., 4th Floor
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March 6, 2017

BY EMAIL and US MAIL

Ms. Jennifer Leger
Assistant City Clerk
City Clerk's Office
City of Taunton
Temporary City Hall
141 Oak Street
Taunton, MA 02780

Re: Motion of the Municipal Council for information regarding Department of Youth Services Procedures

Dear Ms. Leger:

I am writing, on behalf of Peter Forbes, Commissioner for the Massachusetts Department of Youth Services, to provide a response to your letter dated January 30, 2017 and received by our Commissioner on February 27, 2017. In your letter you indicate that the Taunton Municipal Council is seeking to know whether DYS has a standard operating procedure regarding youth escapes from our Taunton Facility that includes a reverse 911 call, and if so, why one was not activated the weekend prior to the Municipal Council's meeting on January 24, 2017. While DYS' standard operating procedure does not at this time include a reverse 911 call, we do have a thorough and thoughtful notification protocol that governs youth escapes.

As you will see from the attached advisory, public safety and the safe return of escaped youth, are top priorities for DYS. In the event of a youth escape from any of our programs, we immediately notify the local police, the closest State Police Barracks and the youth's hometown police department. There is also an immediate call to our own Communication Information Center, which operates 24 hours per day, 7 days per week, that will issue a warrant for a youth's arrest and enter that warrant into the Warrant Management System utilized by State and Local law enforcement. The youth's parent or legal guardian is notified as well.

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In addition to our notification process, we also have two Apprehension Officers assigned to our Southeast Region. Our Apprehension Officers work closely with State and Local law enforcement to assist in apprehension efforts. Our Apprehension Officers are knowledgeable about the youth in our care and custody which greatly aids law enforcement efforts. Additionally, the presence of our Apprehension Officers who have built relationships with many youth in our care and custody often allows for a smoother return to custody, should an arrest be necessary.

I hope that you find this information and the enclosed Advisory instructive. If you have any questions or require additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me directly at 617 960 3330.

Sincerely,



Cecely A. Reardon
General Counsel

Enc.



The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Executive Office of Health and Human Services

Department of Youth Services

600 Washington Street, 4th floor

Boston, MA 02111

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To: All DYS State employees and DYS contract provider staff

From: Peter Forbes, DYS Commissioner

Date: February 8, 2016

STATEWIDE ADVISORY FOR HARDWARE AND STAFF SECURE RESIDENTIAL SETTINGS

In the event of an escape from a Staff Secure or Hardware Secure setting, the program staff will adhere to the following protocol:

Immediate notification to the following persons:

1. Telephone call to the Local Police from program location
2. Telephone call to DYS Communications and Information Center (CIC) 617-960-3333
3. Telephone call to your closest State Police Barracks'
4. Telephone call to youth's hometown local police
5. Telephone call to youth's parent/legal guardian
6. Telephone call to your DYS regional on call and your Agency Supervisor (if applicable)
7. An additional call to DYS Communications and Information Center (CIC) with updates on notifications and additional information

All information to be documented in the operations log of the program.

The following information will be requested by the staff at DYS CIC

Persons to contact	Name/Title of person notified	Time of notification	Program staff name completing notification
Local police			
CIC			
State Police			
Hometown Police			
Parent			
DYS on call and Agency supervising authority			

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Youth Name	DOB/ RACE	Height/Weight	Eye Color /Hair Color	Clothing/identifying marks

CIC will adhere to the following protocol.

1. Telephone contact to the Residential On Call Personnel for approval to issue warrant.
2. Issue an Escape Warrant.
3. Telephone Call to the Regional on call Manager for notification and inquiry for AWOL Apprehension support. AWOL Apprehension efforts are to be used as a resource for youth on escape status.
4. All information shall be documented in the CIC log.

For clarification, Escapees are youth without a Grant of Conditional Liberty Agreement who flee from custody including youth who escape while on a pass. **Policy 03.02.24(C)**

The following is information the DYS CIC staff will document occurred

Actions taken	Name/ Title of person notified	Time of notification	CIC staff name	Additional Information
Residential On Call/ Central Office On Call				
Approval for Escape Warrant				
Issue Escape Warrant				
Contact Regional Manager				
AWOL support initiated				



David F. Adams Post No. 611

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TAUNTON, MASSACHUSETTS

VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS

Of The United States



February 13, 2017

City of Taunton

Honorable Thomas C. Hoyer

141 Oak Street

Taunton, Ma. 02780

Dear Mayor Hoyer:

The Veterans of Foreign Wars, Post 611, are facing a financial crisis due to declining membership and the rising cost of living.

We are a non-profit organization and only our non-member Bartenders receive compensation.

I spoke to you on Veterans Day if there was anything that could be done in the form of relief regarding City of Taunton permit/ license fees. I realize there are certain fees and permits that are needed in order to operate our kitchen and maintain our liquor license, but any relief on other fees would be greatly appreciated.

I am enclosing a list of the annual required fees and permits.

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Thanking you in advance,

Yours Truly,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "John A. Dolan". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned below the "Yours Truly," text.

John A. Dolan, Commander



David F. Adams Post No. 611

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TAUNTON, MASSACHUSETTS

VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS

Of The United States

November 1, 2016

Annual City of Taunton Required Fees and Permits

City Board of Health Permits

Dumpster (4 cu.ft.)	100.00
Hazardous Materials	100.00
Kitchen	<u>325.00</u>
	525.00

City Licenses

Billiard Table	50.00
Common Victualler	100.00
Entertainment Device	
Juke box	100.00
Entertainment	
Bands & dancing	100.00
Building & Fire	
Dep'ts. Inspection	150.00
Inspection	
Application	260.00
Liquor	<u>900.00</u>
	\$1,660.00

Total: \$2,185.00

Also

The building and fire departments inspectors review the documentation of the following required tasks done by private contractors:

Tony Borges—annual kitchen steam-cleaning	300.00
General Fire Extinguishers—semi-annual maintenance	525.00
Steve Rogers—annual electrical inspection	<u>400.00</u>
	\$1,225.00

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March 1, 2017

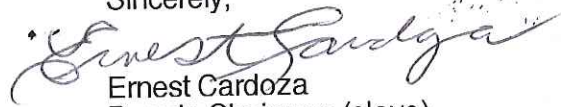
The Honorable Thomas C. Hoyer Jr.
Mayor, City of Taunton
Taunton, MA 02780

Dear Mayor Hoyer:

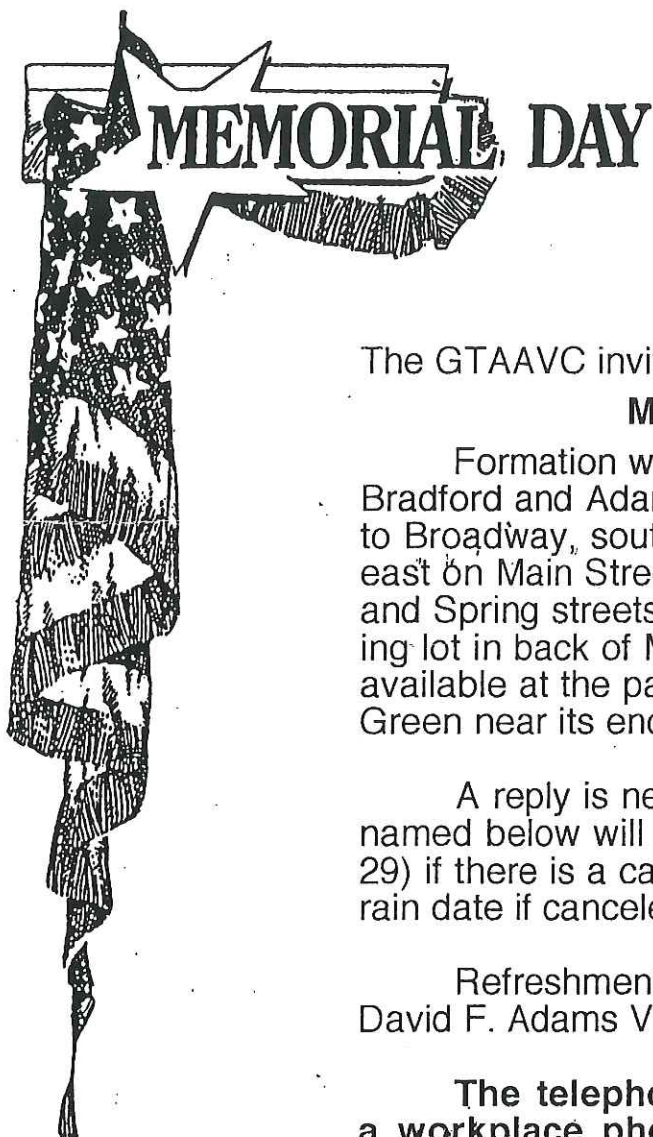
In conjunction with its annual Memorial Day Parade (its date, route and times are stated on this paper's reverse), the GTAAVC seeks the gratis use of the city-owned thirty-two (32) foot box trailer for its reviewing stand on the east side of Taunton Green.

Like other years, its movement, placement and use will be coordinated with the appropriate city department(s).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Ernest Cardoza".

Ernest Cardoza
Parade Chairman (slave)



GREATER TAUNTON AREA
ALLIED VETERANS COUNCIL
82 INGELL S., UNIT 4
TAUNTON, MA 02780-3507

The GTAAVC invites you to its Memorial Day Parade on
Monday, May 29, 2017.

Formation will begin at 12:30 p.m. on Dartmouth, Coram, Bradford and Adams streets and begin at 1:15 with a right turn to Broadway, south to the reviewing stand on Taunton Green, east on Main Street to the junction of Church Green, Summer and Spring streets, turn right to Spring and disband in the parking lot in back of Marian Manor. Hopewell Park's toilet will be available at the parade's start and a portable toilet on Church Green near its end.

A reply is needed to insure your placement. The person named below will be told your parade placement and (on May 29) if there is a cancellation because of rain. There will be no rain date if canceled.

Refreshments for parade participants will be served at the David F. Adams VFW Post 611, 82 Ingell Street.

The telephone number given below should not be a workplace phone unattended on the holiday.

Dear GTAAVC:

I (we) will provide the following:

☐ auto ☐ color guard ☐ float ☐ marching unit ☐ musical unit

other (describe) _____

ORGANIZATION NAME: _____

CONTACT PERSON: _____

TELEPHONE NUMBER: _____

Please reply to Ernest Cardoza
5 New Carver St.
Raynham, MA 02767-1738

nestcard@aol.com
no later than Friday
May 5, 2017

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Taunton Business Improvement District
 & Downtown Taunton Foundation
 8 Trescott Street, Suite 1
 Taunton MA 02780
 508.824.0484
WWW.DOWNTOWNTAUNTON.ORG

February 2, 2017

Mayor Thomas Hoyer Jr.
 Taunton City Councilors
 141 Oak Street
 Taunton, MA 02780

Dear Mayor Hoyer and City Councilors:

On behalf of the Downtown Taunton Foundation (DTF), I am writing to request the use of the **Portable Stage** for our spring, summer, and fall events. Following are the dates and event details:

Sat May 13	12 – 4 PM	Taunton Creates Arts & Culture Festival
Thurs June 29	7 – 9 PM	Downtown Concert: Country Night w/ Timmy Brown
Fri July 14	6 – 9 PM	Downtown Concert: Blues Night & Food Truck event
Fri July 28	7 – 9 PM	Downtown Concert: Open Mic Night
Fri August 11	7 – 9 PM	Downtown Concert: Beatles Night w/ 4EverFab
Sat October 21	12 – 4 PM	Liberty & Union Festival

All events will be held on the Taunton Green except for the October 21st Liberty & Union Festival which will be held on Church Green. We have initiated the process for use of the Taunton Green through the city's Parks, Cemeteries & Public Grounds. Upon official approval to use the park, we will need the portable stage to allow better view of the musical acts scheduled to perform during the concerts and festivals. The goal of these events is to celebrate our city's culture while promoting the economic revitalization of our own downtown. All events will be free and open to the public.

As a non-profit organization with a mission to revitalize downtown Taunton, we are working on a limited budget. We are requesting a waiver of the fee to utilize the portable stage. The fee expense would be a hardship for us and reduce the quality of activities offered during the event.

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If granted the use of the portable stage for this event, we will be happy to work with the city to ensure that we are in compliance with all regulations regarding its use. Please contact me at 508-824-0484 or ekelleher@downtowntaunton.org if you have any questions or would like additional information. Thank you for considering our request.

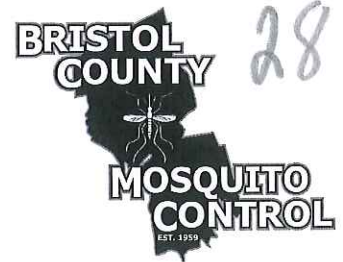
Sincerely,



Eileen Kelleher
Administrative Assistant



THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
STATE RECLAMATION AND MOSQUITO CONTROL BOARD



BRISTOL COUNTY MOSQUITO CONTROL PROJECT

38R FOREST STREET, ATTLEBORO, MA 02703
TEL:(508)823-5253 FAX: (508)828-1868

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SUPERINTENDENT
PRISCILLA MATTON, M.S.

NOTICE

The Bristol County Mosquito Control Project is contacting our list of excluded property owners to inform them of a change to Massachusetts Pesticide Board- Exclusion regulation 333 CMR 13.03 (see below).

As a reminder, for your property to continue to be excluded from any type of pesticide applications you must now provide written notice to the Massachusetts Department of Agricultural Resources (MDAR). Request for exclusions are no longer accepted at your Town or City's Clerk's office. The regulation states that property owners who want their property excluded must supply the Department a letter providing the name, address, telephone number, and programs from which exclusion is requested. There is no longer a deadline to make a request, all exclusions are effective 14 days of receipt and shall be in effect for the remainder of the calendar year in which the request was made. A new online form is in development by MDAR and should be available shortly.

Under regulation 333 CMR 13.03 the person requesting exclusion shall mark the boundaries or areas to be excluded at least every 50 feet with orange surveyor's tape or another Department-approved marking device which clearly defines the area of exclusion.

Only properties provided to the Bristol County Mosquito Control Project from MDAR will be placed on our exclusion list.

The exclusion request form and more information and can be found at
<http://www.mass.gov/eea/agencies/agr/pesticides/mosquito/pesticide-application-exclusions.html>
Additional information can be found at www.mass.gov/eea/bristolcountymosquitocontrol

Please contact Bristol County Mosquito Control with any questions you might have.

13.03: Exclusions from Pesticide Application

(1) General.

(a) Wide Area Applications of pesticides and mosquito control applications of pesticides approved by the State Reclamation and Mosquito Control Board shall not be made to private property which has been designated for exclusion from such application by a person living on or legally in control of said property.

(b) Request for exclusion from Wide Area Applications of pesticides and mosquito control applications of pesticides approved by the State Reclamation and Mosquito Control Board may be made to the Department on a form prescribed by the Department. This form shall be submitted to the Department *via* first class mail or, if available at the time the exclusion request is made, electronically in a manner prescribed by the Department. **The exclusion request shall then be transmitted by the Department to the mosquito control project or district in which the property is located,** when applicable.

(c) The Department shall require, at a minimum, the following information as part of the request for exclusion:

1. name of the landowner or tenant requesting the exclusion. If request is made by the tenant, the name and contact information for the landlord must also be provided;
2. address of the individual requesting the exclusion (if different than property to be excluded);
3. telephone number of the individual requesting the exclusion;
4. address of the property to be excluded, including the parcel identification number as assigned by the city or town if a property in question does not have a dwelling or a street address; and
5. a description of the types of pesticide application programs from which exclusion is requested.

(d) Exclusion requests may be made at any time during the year, shall be effective 14 days from receipt of the request, and shall be in effect for the remainder of the calendar year in which the request was made. All requests shall expire on December 31 of the calendar year in which it was made.

(e) A designation for exclusion made by a tenant shall not be deemed to limit the right of the landlord to apply, or authorize the application of, pesticides to that land if by the express or implied terms of the rental agreement the owner retains the right to apply or authorize the application of such pesticides.

(f) 333 CMR 13.03 shall not be deemed to limit the right of an easement holder to apply pesticides to land which is subject to the easement if the easement expressly or implicitly includes the right to apply pesticides.

(g) A designation for exclusion made by a joint owner, tenant in common, or owner of a condominium unit shall not be deemed to limit the right of any other joint owner, tenant in common, condominium unit owner or condominium association to apply or authorize the application of pesticides to land if by the express or implied terms of the deed, condominium agreement or other agreement governing such land

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such other joint owner, tenant in common, condominium unit owner or condominium association retains the right to apply or authorize the application of such pesticides.

(h) The Department shall make a list of all exclusion requests made within a municipality available to the clerk of that municipality upon request.

(2) Marking Areas for Exclusion. All areas designated for exclusion from Wide Area Applications of pesticides and mosquito control applications of pesticides approved by the State Reclamation and Mosquito Control Board shall be marked as follows:

(a) Applications by Aircraft. The person requesting exclusion shall clearly mark boundaries or areas to be excluded using marking methods approved by the Department.

(b) Ground Applications. **The person requesting exclusion shall mark the boundaries or areas to be excluded at least every 50 feet using marking methods approved by the Department which clearly defines the area of exclusion.** Approved marking methods shall be listed on the Department's website at www.mass.gov/eea/agencies/agr/pesticides/mosquito. A mosquito control project or district may require a specific method from the approved list, which shall also be made available on its website.

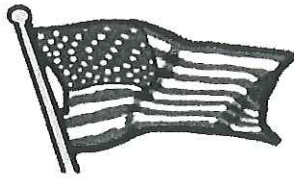
(3) Requests for exclusion shall not be honored if:

(a) The request is not made in accordance with 333 CMR 13.03;

(b) The Commissioner of Public Health has certified that the application is to be made to protect the Public Health;

(c) The Commissioner of the Department of Conservation and Recreation has certified that the application is necessary to contain an infestation of a recently introduced pest; or

(d) The Commissioner of the Department of Agricultural Resources has certified that the application is necessary to contain an infestation of a pest which is a significant threat to agriculture.



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MARCH 21, 2017

**HONORABLE THOMAS C. HOYE, JR., MAYOR
COUNCIL PRESIDENT DANIEL P. DERMODY
AND MEMBERS OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL**

PLEASE NOTE: **THE FOLLOWING COMMITTEE MEETINGS HAVE BEEN SCHEDULED FOR
TUESDAY, MARCH 21, 2017 AT 5:30 P.M. AT THE TEMPORARY CITY HALL
AT MAXHAM SCHOOL, 141 OAK STREET, TAUNTON, MA. 02780, IN THE
CHESTER R. MARTIN MUNICIPAL COUNCIL CHAMBERS**

5:30 P.M.

THE COMMITTEE ON FINANCE & SALARIES

1. MEET TO REVIEW THE WEEKLY VOUCHERS & PAYROLLS FOR CITY DEPARTMENTS
2. MEET TO REVIEW REQUESTS FOR FUNDING
3. MEET TO REVIEW MATTERS IN FILE

PLEASE NOTE: **A "MEETING" OF THE ENTIRE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL, AS SAID TERM IS
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THE COMMITTEE OF THE COUNCIL AS A WHOLE

1. MEET FOR A PRE-REVIEW HEARING ON SPECIAL PERMIT FOR A TELECOMMUNICATIONS TOWER AT 400 REVOLUTIONARY DRIVE LOCATED IN THE INDUSTRIAL DISTRICT.
2. MEET TO REVIEW MATTERS IN FILE

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Respectfully,

Colleen M. Ellis
Clerk of Council Committees